

DPD 3173-61

31 May 1961

MEMORANDUM FOR : Acting Chief, Development Projects Division

25X1 SUBJECT : Status of [redacted]

REFERENCE : Commander's Report, April 1961 from Detachment 3  
(DPD 3173-61, dated 17 May 1961)

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1. In paragraph 3 of the referenced report, [redacted] has indicated that firm data has been received on 22 April of the final [redacted] missions. Although I have not seen the paper work, I am attracted to his last sentence which reads: "Despite this, the burst point should be predictable within one-half mile."

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2. You will recall the active interest displayed by Mr. Bissell and General Gable in the status of the [redacted] in February and March. While it is true that this interest was in connection with the Cuban operation, I believe there may be reasons why this [redacted] could be used in other areas [redacted] for example.

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3. what I am pointing out is that you may wish to review this data and to apprise the DDP of the current existence of [redacted] if in your opinion we are over the hump and could operate if called upon to do so.

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